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THE ASHES OF COLUMBES.

They Are Received at Seville and

VILLE, January 19.-The Spanish

Giralda fired a salute, to which the forces replied, and the coffin was contains the tomb where the re-of Columbus were first deposited e route to the Cathedral from the was thronged, troops and satiors or drawn up on each side of the way the the funeral passed. The Chapter the Cathedral received the remains, hich will lie in the vault. After another dute funeral services were celebrated, in the presence of an enormous crowd.

TRUE BILL AGAINST MRS, GEORGE. Indictment Charges Marder of Mrs. McKinley's Brother.

CANTON, O., January 19.-The grand jury returned a true bill against Mrs. Annle E. George to-day, for murdering George D. Saxton, brother of Mrs. Wil-liam McKinley. The indictment alleges murder in the first degree, and the penalty is death by electrocution.

The Grant Gets Off.

NEW YORK, January 19.—The transport Grant, bound for the Philippines, with the Fourth Infantry and a battalion of the Seventeenth Infantry aboard, weighed anchor and headed out to sea, to-day. As the Grant passed Governor's Island the guns fired a regulation salute, in honor of Major-General Lawton. The men on the Grant replied with cheers. As the transport passed through the Narrows she was again saluted by the guns of Forts Wadsworth and Hamilton. All the warships in the harbor saluted the Grant, and her departure was marked by considerable sarthware. by considerable enthusiasm.

There are 1,200 sugar plantations and 1,500 tobacco plantations in Western Cuba. Both cotton and coffee are grown in the eastern part of this island.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, JAN. 20, 1899.

PORT OF BERMUDA HUNDRED, VA., JANUARY 19, 1899. (By telegraph.)

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PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, JAN. 19. (By telegraph.) ARRIVED.

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STOCKS ARE STRONG.

MARKET, MOREOVER, IS ACTIVE ALMOST ALL DAY.

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NEW YORK, January 19.-The stock except for a realizing movement around delivery hour, when prices receded about a point in many stocks, but toward the close picked up sharply, and the dosing was strong, with material net gains in all the leading shares. The volume of business was above the million-share mark, and London, after being a seller or a long time to-day, reversed her position and purchased about 25,000 shares Following the example of the Imperial Bank of Germany, the Bank of England reduced its rate of discount,

A continuance of easy money conditions here was another factor in the confidence gh-record prices for the current movement, and the average price of active condon tone encouraged a logic opening-ore, and as there was a large accumu-ation of buying orders over night, the short interests were compelled to retreat in many stocks. There was heavy rea-izing at the advance, but the stocks sold were well taken, and the market broad-

The greatest activity and strength were shown by Manhattan, Burlington, St. Paul, Sugar, Atchison preferred, Reading first preferred, and Northern and Union Pacifics. The advance in Sugar was credited to a rounding up of the shorts. The advance in Burlington seemed to be accepted as meaning that something was under consideration in regard to a refunding scheme, although negotiations under way were said to apply to the issue of only a small amount of bonds. The interests concerned were non-committal, and there was no definite development one way or the other.

STORY AS TO MANHATTAN.

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The advance in Manhattan was accompanied by a story giving the name of a large outside interest as likely to take part in financing the electrical equipment of the road, but denials of this were emphatic, as hitherto.

The increase in Omaha of 1½ per cent, seemed to have been discounted, as the stock was inactive after the announcement, and then dipped, in sympathy with the realizing movement in the rest of the market. Favorable earnings for the second week in January lent strength to Louisville. Lake Erie and Western advanced on covering by the short interests. The preferred advanced 5½ and the common 2½ on the dissemination of rumors of a deal with the Cincinnati, Chicago, Cleveland and St. Louis. The rumor of the prospective retirement of the Minneapolis and St. Louis first preferred stock resulted in an advance in the second preferred stock of over 3 points.

There was an advance in most of the Gould properties, some of which have been inactive of late, Manhattan rising There was an avance of which have been inactive of late. Manhattan rising 4% and Missouri Pacific 2 points. Among the investment stocks New York Central rose a point and a half. There was considerable liquidation in Kansas, Pittsburg, and Gulf stocks and bonds.

BOND MARKET STRONG.

The bond market showed relatively more activity than stock speculation. Marked advances were scored all around, with the undertone aggressively strong. United States 5's advanced \(\frac{1}{2} \) in the bid price. Total sales of stocks, 1,070,800 shares, including 33,820 Atchison; 75,000 do., preferred; 15,500 Central Pacific; 50,020 Chicago, Burlington and Quincy; 6,170 Hinols Central; 7,245 Denver and Rio Grande, preferred; 26,629 Louisville and Nashville; 44,850 Manhattan; 33,600 Reading, 1st preferred; 19,000 Missouri Pacific; 13,320 New York Central; 7,290 North American Company; 83,400 Northern Pacific; 43,900 do., preferred; 5,400 Reading; 40,820 Rock Island; 23,050 Union Pacific; 31,820 St. Paul; 8,452 St. Paul and Omaha; 6,170 Southern Pacific; 18,220 Southern Railway; 13,830 do., preferred; 46,075 Union Pacific, preferred; 10,600 American Cotton Off; 6,850 Bay State Gas; 8,202 American Tobacco; 29,920 Federal Steel; 8,200 do., preferred; 11,920 People's Gas; 23,100 Brooklyn Transit; 68,629 Sugar; 31,229 Tennessee Coal and Iron; 18,830 Leather, preferred; 23,85 Rubber; 6,285 Chicago Grent BOND MARKET STRONG. nessee Coal and Iron; 18,820 Leather, pre-ferred; 3,285 Rubber; 6,285 Chicago Great

MONEY AND EXCHANGE. Money on call steady at 203 per cent.; ast lean at 3; prime mercantile paper,

last lean at 3: prime mercanne paper, 33324 per cent.
Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.843,6\$4.85 for demand and at \$4.854,6\$4.85 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.8034.83½ and \$4.85½; commercial bills, \$4.82.
Silver certificates, 534,2604½; bar silver, 58%; Mexican dollars, 47½.
Government bonds firmer; State bonds inactive; railroad bonds strong.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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New Jersey Central

New York Central

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EXPRESS COMPANIES.

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Richmond, Va., January 19, 1899. Private sales to-day were as follows: Vrappers, 2 hogsheads; fillers, 1 hogshead; leaf (dark), 8 hogsheads; lugs, 8 logsheads; scraps, 15 hogsheads. Total umber of hogsheads sold during the ay, 34.

ay, 34. Seabrook's, Sheckoe, Stonewall, and Aleghany warehouses report to-day: Re-elpts, 4 hogsheads; deliveries, 38 hogs-

heads.
Sales of new dark loose tobacco on the
Richmond breaks to-day were: Crenshaw's Warehouse, 25,250 pounds-highest
price, 314.75; Shockoe Warehouse, 39,359
pounds-highest price, 312.55; Stonewall
Warehouse, 2,232 pounds. Total number

price, \$13.25; Stonewall pounds, highest price, \$13.25; Stonewall Warehouse, 2230 pounds. Total number of pounds sold during the day, 67,789—highest price, \$14.75.

All the warehouses will have sales on their floors to-morrow (Friday).

Messrs, Frazer and Tompkins have this to say of the market for the week: Suncured-Receipts continue light; we expect much larger sales when the weather is more favorable and the roads improve; market firm at quotations. Brights—Market continues quiet, but rather more doing than last week. Dark (new)—Receipts increasing, but the market continues active. Old—Receipts and offerings light; market very quiet, but little doing.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET. NEW YORK PRODUCE ARREIT.

NEW YORK, January 19.—Flour-Neglected, owing to the erratic actions of
wheat, and closed easy; rye flour dull;
buckwheat flour negiected at \$1.90.
Euckwheat—Quiet at 56c.
Cornmeal—Steady; yellow western, \$23

Cornmeal—Steady; yellow western, \$23 \$20.

Rye—Dull; No. 2, 650.

Barley—Dull; feeding, 46747c.; maiting, \$75652c., delivered.

Barley Mait—Steady; western, \$57688c.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red, \$578 \$20.

\$93-8c.; options opened firm, and experienced a sharp rise, in which sentiment, inspired from Wall Street, played an important part. Later, when realizing developed, prices quickly gave way, and closed unsettled at a 1-8c. net decline. Foreign news was unsatisfactory, and foreign houses sold wheat, while export trade and clearances were both moderate. Sales included No. 2 red, March closing 78578.1-8c.; May closed 75c.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 477431-2c.; options opened firmer, and for a time heeded the strength in wheat. Subsequently they reacted, with fine weather and small exports, closing easy at unchanged prices; May'closed 41 3-4c.

Outs—Spot steady; No. 2, 34c.; options dull.

Reef—Steady.

Beef-Steady.
Cut-Meats-Steady.
Lard-Steady; western steamed closed at \$5.80 \$5.87 1-2; January closed \$5.87, nominally; refined quiet.

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Pork-Firm.

Butter-Steady; western creamery, 14@
19c.; do. factory, 12614c.; Elgins, 19c.; imitation creamery, 13617c.; State dairy,

[67] Sc. Cheese-Steady; large white, 81-2c. Eggs-Steady; State and Pennsylvania, c.; western, fresh, 181-2@19c.; southern,

20c. attocs—Steady; Jersey, \$1.121-2@\$1.50;
Pow York, \$1.250\$1.621-2; Long Island,
\$1.72@\$2; sweets, Jersey, \$1.252\$1.50.
Cottonseed-Oil—Steady; prime crude,
19c.; do, yellow, 23@231-2c.
Petroleum—Quiet:
Rosin—Qulet; strained, common to good,
\$1.350\$1.35 1-2.
Turpentine—Dull and easy at \$31-2@44c.

Turpentine-Du. Rice-Firm. Cabbage-Dull. Couton-By steam, 25c

Cabbage-Dull.
Cotton-By steam, 25c.
Coffee-Options opened barely steady
at a 5 points decline; ruled more active,
with weak undertone, under liquidation,
in absence of outside support, and foilowing unsatisfactory Brazilian advices,
apathy of spot buyers, and heavy "visible." Selling checked by liberal warehouse
deliveries in this country. Closed steady,
with prices 5 points lower; sales, 18,500
hags, including January, \$5,25; February,
\$5,40; spot Rio easy; No. 7, invoice, \$5,500
\$6,621-2: No. 7, jobbling, \$7,351.21-2; mild
quiet; Cordova, \$7,500,814.
Sugar-Raw steady; fair refining, 3-3-4c.;
centrifugal (96-degree test), 41-4c.; molasses sugar, 31-2c.; refined dull.

THE DRY-GOODS MARKET.

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NEW YORK, January 19.—The tone of the cotton-goods division of the dry-goods market continues generally strong. No further advances in prices are recorded, but previous advances are fully maintained. The demand was not spirited, but of average proportions. Jobbers are reported doing a good business, and their reorders are numerous for quick shipments of moderate quantities. Heavy knit underwear for next fall is irregular in price, some new lines opening 5 to 10 per cent, under last year in woollen and fleeced cotton makes.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

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demand, finally won the struggle with bullish sentiment in wheat to-day, and May, after an advance of %, closed %0° %c. lower. Corn and oats left off a shade higher. Pork, lard, and ribs are practically unchanged.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Opening. Highest Lowest. Closing. Wheat-No. 2 May 70% 63% 71% July 68% 69% Corn-No. 1. 35% 35% 35% 36% 67% 38% 937 37% 67% 37% 67% 37% 67% 37% May27½ 27½ uly26½ 26½ Mess Pork—Per Bbi.

Jan \$9.874 May\$10.10 \$10.17½ \$10.10 \$10.12½ Lard—Per 100 Lbs. May\$ 5.77½ \$ 5.80 \$ 5.75 \$ 5.80 Snort Ribs—Per 100 Lbs.

BALTIMORE PRODUCE MARKET. BALTIMORE, January 19.-Flour-Dull

BALTIMORE, January 12.—Flour—Dull and unchanged.
Wheat—Firmer; spot and the month, 75 1-2675 3-4c.; February, 75 3-4675c.; southern wheat, by sample, 79675 1-2c. Corn—Strong; spot and the month, 409 40 1-4c.; February, 40 1-4649 3-8c.; southern white and yellow corn, 37 1-4640 1-4c. Oats—Steady, No. 2 white, 34634 1-2c. Rye—Firmer; No. 2, near-by, 61c.; No. 2, whether, 63 1-2c.
Sugar—Strong and unchanged.
Butter—Steady and unchanged.
Eggs—Firm and unchanged.
Cheese—Steady and unchanged.
Lettuce—31.35631.50 per bushel box.
Whiskey—Unchanged.
THE COTTON MARKETS.

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LIVERPOOL, January 19.—Cotton—Spot, active business; prices 1-16d. lower; American middling, fair, 3.3-45d.; good middling, 33-16d.; low middling, 3d.; good ordinary, 2.13-16d.; ordinary, 2%d. The sales of the day were 15,000 bales, of which 3,000 were for speculation and export, and included 14,100 American. Receipts, 45,000 bales, including 35,300 American

Futures opened steady, with a fair demand, and closed steady at the advance; American middling, low middling clause, January. 39-64@3 lo-64d. seliers; January and February. 39-64@3 lo-64d. sellers; February and March. 39-64@3 lo-64d. sellers; March and April. 310-64@3 ll-64d. sellers; April and May. 311-64d. buyers; June and July. 313-64d. sellers; September and October, 314-64@3 l5-64d. buyers; October and November, 315-64d., value; November and December, 315-64d. buyers.

NEW YORK, January 19.—The cotton

and December, 315-6id., buyers.

NEW YORK, January 19.—The cotton market again took a higher level, and showed well sustained, if not greater, activity. The leading buillish impulses were the strong cables and smaller receipts. It was expected that the market would open higher than it did, but some of the smaller local longs took advantage of the strong situation to liquidate, and the selling by this class, added to some outside disposition to realize, checked the advance on the opening call at 495 points. Later, business increased and prices advanced 7 to 9 points, the higher extreme heing confined to December contracts. August came within one point of selling

Later, business increased and prices anvanced 7 to 9 points, the higher extreme being confined to December contracts. August came within one point of selling at 6 cents, but at 5.98 there was a selling movement that turned the market a little, and a reaction of 204 points followed. On the whole, the feeling throughout the session remained buillsh. Without quotable advance the market for spot cotton showed positive firmness in the local market, and also in the leading markets of the cotton belt, which were from firm at unchanged quotations to % higher. There was no let-up in the reports from American shippers and from spinners indicative of present and prospective good conditions. New Orleans sent in buying orders.

In the afternoon the market was less energetic, Cautious local traders were inclined to take profits, and outside support had a subsiding tendency, with the market finally steady at a net gain of 407 points.

Cotton steady: middling, 6%c.: net re-

coston steady; misdling, 5-3c.; het re-petits, 115 bales; gross receipts, 8,132 bales; sales, 785 bales; atock, 106,808 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 588 bales, Totals to-day: Net receipts, 15,947 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 11,000 bales; to the Continent, 15,717 bales; stock, 1,149,555 bales bales. Consolidated: Net receipts, 173,155 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 84,172 bales; to France, 13,816 bales; to the Continent, 75,-

150 bales.
Totals since September 1st: Net receipts, 6,408,064 bales; exports—to Great Britain, 2,529,005 bales; to France, 545,512 bales; to the Continent, 765,782 bales.

Britain, 2.539.005 bales; to France, 35,30.2 bales; to the Continent, 765.782 bales.
Cotton futures opened firm; January, \$5.90; February, \$5.82; March, \$5.81; April. \$5.86; May, \$5.90; June, \$5.91; July, \$5.96; August, \$5.90; October, \$5.93; November and December, \$5.94.
Futures closed steady; January, \$5.84; February, \$5.81; March, \$5.82; April, \$5.86; May, \$5.89; June, \$5.91; July, \$5.93; August, \$5.96; September, \$5.99; October, \$5.91; November, \$5.91; December, \$5.91; November, \$5.91; December, \$5.92, November, \$5.91; December, \$5.93.
Spot closed firm; sales, 7.890 bales.
NEW ORLEANS, January 19.—Cotton futures quiet and steady; January, \$5.390; \$5.41; February, \$5.42; March, \$5.43035.44; \$4.7035.49; May, \$5.52635.53; June, \$5.55035.88; July, \$5.62635.51; October, \$5.58, \$5.64; September, \$5.58635.51; October, \$5.58, \$5.64; September, \$5.58635.51; October, \$5.58. NAVAL-STORE MARKETS.

SAVANNAH. GA., January 19 .- No

markets; holiday.
CHARLESTON, S. C., January 19.—
Turpentine—Firm at 42c.; sales, none.
Rosin—Firm and unchanged; sales,

WILMINGTON, N. C., January 19.-No naval-store quotations; holiday.

CHICAGO LIVE-STOCK MARKET.

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CHICAGO, January 18.—The greater part of to-day's offerings of cattle were of poor quality, and prices showed a decline of 5600c., buyers evineing no great eagerness to take hold. The comparatively small number of choice grades that were offered were disposed of at generally steady prices. Fancy cattle, \$5.90785.19; choice steers, \$5.5078.85; medium, \$4.800 \$5.10; beef steers, \$4934.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50634.5; bulls, \$2.50634.25; cows and helfers, \$2.30634; western fed steers, and helfers, \$2.30@34; western fed steers, \$4.15@35.50; Texas steers, \$3.60@34.90; calves,

33.750\$7.

There was a good demand for hogs, with the competition brisk, and prices ruled steady, some lots selling 5c, higher. Fair to choice, \$2.606\$3.75; packing lots. \$3.4503.51.2; mixed. \$3.506\$8.67.1-2; butchers, \$3.306\$3.75; light, \$3.450\$3.67.1-2; pigs, \$36\$3.50.

There was a fairly active demand for sheep at about previous prices, heavy

there was a fairly active tenante for theep at about previous prices, heavy ambs being, as usual, the poorest sellers, aferior to prime sheep, \$2.5064.20; west-rn ewes, \$5.5063.70; yearlings, \$4.10634.60; heavy lambs, \$4.75644.80. Receipts: Cattle, 15,000 head; hogs, 32,000 lead; sheep, 18,000 head. DANVILLE TOBACCO MARKET. DANVILLE, January 19.—(Special.)—
Quotations: Wrappers—Fancy, \$40/2355;
good, \$20/2340; !medium, \$20/2330; common,
\$120/820. Fillers—Good, \$80/310; common,
\$120/820. Cutters—Fancy, \$12/0322; smokers,
\$40/88.50; exports, \$11/0320; nondescript, \$2/2

PETERSBURG TOBACCO MARKET. PETERSBURG, January 19.-(Special.) Market very quiet, with light receipts and offerings. Quotations unchanged, as follows: Common to medium lugs, \$1.50@\$12.50; good to fine lugs, \$1.50.50; poor short leaf, \$2.50; \$1.50; \$1.50.50; poor short leaf, \$2.50; \$1.50.50; poor short leaf, \$2.50.50; poor short le

PETERSBURG COTTON MARKET. PETERSBURG, January 19.—(Special.) Cotton-Firm at 59-16 to 55-8c, for good

SUFFOLK PEANUT MARKET. SUFFOLK, VA., January 19.—(Special.)
Hand-picked, fancy, 31-4c.; extra, 23-4c.;
Virginia shelled, No. 1., 31-4c.; No. 2, 2c.;
extra large, 4c.; Spanish shelled, No. 1.,
3c.; farmers' goods, 21-2c.; Spanish, 50 to
60c. per bushel. NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET.

NORFOLK, VA., January 19.—(Special.)
Farmers' market; fancy, 363%c; strictly
prime, 2%c.; prime, none offering; common, 2%2%c.; Spanish, 75c, bushel. Advance caused by scarcity of shelling stock. PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET. PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.
PETERSBURG, January 19.—(Special.)
Virginia Peanuts—Firm; prime, 21-2c.;
extra prime, 23-4c.; fancy, 3c.; Spanish
firm at 75c.

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As a consequence of our buying the Handsome Children's Stock from A. Saks & Co. a few months back and our mammoth Fall purchases from the leading manufacturers we started the season with an unusually large and attractive display of Boys' Outfittings. To say we are highly gratified at the patronage and success we have met with but lightly describes it, but now we are in the predicament of having table upon table of broken sizes and small lots, Isn't it natural for us to readily face a loss, if it's necessary, to clean our tables for spring? Well, we do.

no trouble about the size, Here are either, if you're reasonably a few ex-That Pleases amples of the Boys the saving and Parents, Too. opportunities in our Great Liliputian Wool Chinchilla Reefers with storm or reefer collars, sizes Bazaar-the prices are un-3 to 10 years. Not a one

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AT 18 CENTS. Boys' Knee Pants, all sizes, AT \$3.50. just like others' 35c. kind. AT 48 CENTS.

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goods, that were \$1.50. 300 Nobby Vestee Suits, 3 to 8-year sizes, in a number AT 18 CENTS.

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and Brown colors. Stick a pin here! AT 53 CENTS. 98c. Blue, Red, and Dark Green Tam o' Shanters.

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coats, sizes 6 to 15, in Tan

in Blue, Plaid, and Mixed AT 38 CENTS. Blue Cloth and Leather Tam o' Shanters that were 50

> and 75c. A lot of 50c. Worsted Tam

o' Shanters. Children's and Misses' Buttoned Shoes, good fitting, nice looking-cheap; sizes 8½ to 10½.

Out Great \$1.00 Derby-All shades, all 1898-'99 Hat. Others will charge you \$2 and \$2.50; here \$1.

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WATER CRESS IN GERMANY.

Fifty Thousand Bunches Sold for a Our Nellie and Eghart the Winning

Snug Little Fortune. (Meehan's Monthly.) An interesting translation of an article

n water cress from the German Practi- Club's winter meeting. Weather clear cal Gardener, by Mrs. Wilhelmine Seliger. appears in the Hartford Daily Times. Erfurt is not only famous for seed-growwhich market gardening is permanent.

been sold from this one tract in one season, bringing in \$2,000 of our money-a little fortune in Germany. The water cress business was started in 1665 by one Hans Hartzau, who rented the ground for a small sum. Two brothers, named Matthew and Simon Enge up the start made, and in 1687 ran the network of ditches over the land. Old plants produce too hot and tooth-

less an article, as all know who have had water cress in an American restaurant. In these Erfurt streams the plants are torn out twice a year, and new plantations made from the young tips. The bottom of the shallow streams are heavily manured, the tips planted, and the plants kept down by boards till the roots have taken hold. Of course, provision for keeping down the boards has to be made. This boarding process is on. to be made. This boarding process is one of the essentials of culture. The crisp, juicy product would not be secured without it. It bears the same relation to good water cress as blanching does to good colery. With the tough, peppery stuff on American tables, it is no wonder water cress is not popular.

A Clever Trick.

(Detroit Free Press.) An ex-Collector of Customs relates this as among his experiences: "Some years ago, and shortly prior to the holidays, a man came into the office and said that he wanted to talk with me personally. He looked like an unsophisticated fellow who had come in from the country to try his hand at business, though he had sharp features and a nasal twang,

"Mister," he began when we were alone, 'I'm in a kind of a snarl, and I've come to you because I want to do the square thing. I had a nice lot of Havaney cigars shipped to Windsor, thinkin' I could do a stroke sellin' 'em here in Detroit fur the Chris'mas trade. I had a man there to take care of 'em till I came on, but he, not knowin' nothin' about the law, packs them cigars in a boat and brings 'em over here without payin' no brings 'em over here without payin' no duty. I reckon it was smugglin', but he's honest as the sun, and I hurrled fight here soon's I heerd of what he'd done. Here's a sample of them cigars," as he Here's a sample of them cigars, as he held out a box, and I want to say right here that I never had a more delicious smoke. He took me to the little room he had rented and showed me hundreds of boxes on which he paid the duty, and I let the matter drop. It got into the papers, even to my verdict as to the quality of the cigars. of the cigars. Then my honest Yankee made a special

"Then my honest Yankee made a special Christmas sale, patronized chiefly by women, who did not care so much about price as they did about the credit for having once selected good goods. He was closed out in no time, and disappeared. There was a rank odor in the local atmosphere that Christmas. The cigars were cheap Connecticut fillers, with cheaper Pennsylvania wrappers. The cigar he gave me was a 'ringer.' Uncle Sam got money that did not belong to him, but it was an advertising scheme out of which it was an advertising scheme out of which the Yankee made a fat thing."

(London Tid-Bits.)

A stipendiary magistrate in a town in Yorkshire, who was not given to err on the side of leniency, once had before him a cab driver, who was charged with furious driving. After some severe comments on the mair's conduct, a heavy fine was imposed.

A few days after the trial the magistrate, who had been detained rather longer than usual in the court, was hurrying along to catch his train, when seeing an empty cab handy, he halled the driver and directed him to proceed to the station, telling him that he was pressed for time. The driver, however, heedless of the hint, kept to a very gentle trot.

"I say, I say, my man," exclaimed the fare, with his head out of the window, "drive faster than this."

"It can't be done, sir," replied the driver, "Ye see, if we drives faster we're had up afore the beak, and we gets fined; so we has to be careful."

He did not alter his pace, and neither did the "beak" catch his train.

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NEW ORLEANS RACES.

Favorites. NEW ORLEANS, LA., January 19 .-Forty-ninth day, Crescent City Jockey

and cool; track good. Our Nellie and Egbart were the winning favorites. First race-six furlongs-Takanassee (4 to 1) won, Star of Bethlehem (7 to 2 and

to 1) won, Ned Wickes (11 to 5 and 3 to 5) second, Nan Dora (2) to 1) third. Time, Third race-selling, one and one six-teenths miles-Amber Glints (4 to 1) won, Lewanna (9 to 2 and 8 to 5) second, Babe Fields (5 to 2) third. Time, 15034.

Fourth race-selling, one and one six-teenths miles-Colonel Frank Waters (5 to 1) won, Barataria 6 to 5 and 2 to nd, Albert S. (12 to 1) third. Time, Fifth race-one mile-Our Nellie (even) won, Estabrooke (20 to 1 and 5 to 1) second, Sir Blaise (9 to 1) third. Time,

1:44 3-4. Sixth race-selling, seven furiouss-Egbart (5 to 2) won, Randazzo (3 to 1 and even) second, Shuttlecock (8 to 1) third.

Lee the Man for Cuba (Savannah News.) If General Fitzhugh Lee had been made Captain-General, or Governor, of Cuba, there are reasons for thinking that the reconstruction of the Island's government and the rehabilitation of its industries would even now have been well under way. General Lee has had more practical experience in civil and military affairs than probably any other army offcer now in Cuba. He was a major-general in the best fighting army the world has ever seen; an army in which every has ever seen; an army in which every man had to fight, from the private to the general. He was Governor of Virginia, by the votes of the people, in a trying period of the history of that State. He is a farmer, and a practical businessman. It follows, therefore, that from his varied experiences he has learned how to handle soldiers and workingmen, and that he is an adept in politics as well as in business. Furthermore, he understands the people of Cuba, and they have confidence in him. He is a typical Democratic-Republican soldier. He puts on no frills,

dence in him. He is a typical Democratic-Republican soldier. He puts on no frills, and is courteous all day long. It was said of him while he was in this city with his army corps that "anybody could see him at any time." There was no redrape and shoulder strap military aristocracy about him. His executive ability was well illustrated in his government of the Seventh Affny Corps, both in this city and elsewhere. The corps was kept of the Seventh Army Corps, both in this city and elsewhere. The corps was kept in good health and good shape through his efforts, and the civil laws were respected by the men. There has been more trouble, with only a couple of regiments here, since Lee left, than there was during the whole time Lee's corps was here, with its fourteen regiments. The commanding-general pad the confi-The commanding-general nail the confidence of both citizens and soldiers; he was one of them, as regards each party. Such a man in authority in Cusa, with his all-around experience, ability, and amiability, would render better, more offective, service than the dozen American officials who are now dividing authority and honors in Habana. It is not too late to cover the late of the cover the cover the cover to the cover to correct mistakes, and the President might do well to hasten too settlement of the Cuban question by making Fitzhugh Lee the Military Governor, and permitting him to select his own assistants. The American people do not care to have Cabe on their hands a moment lenger Cuba on their hands a moment longer than is actually necessary. The sooner the island is given over to its own re the better it will be for them and for the United States. If the reconstruction in Cuba is not hastened, the island is in danger of falling under the blight of car-

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